



PATENT APPLICATION  
Docket No. 15436.249.30.1

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:		)
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	Huang, et al.	)
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Serial No.:	09/900,713	) Art Unit
		) 2872
Confirmation No.:	3966	)
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Filed:	July 5, 2001	)
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For:	OPTICAL ISOLATOR WITH REDUCED	)
	INSERTION LOSS AND MINIMIZED	)
	POLARIZATION MODE DISPERSION	)
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Examiner:	Ricky D. Shafer	)

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

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Sir:

Applicant submits this Amendment in response to the Office Action mailed January 16, 2004. Reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks.

**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Large Entity)**Applicant(s): **Huang, et al**

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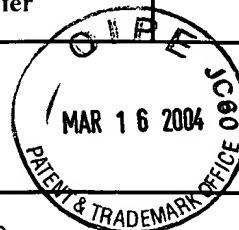
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**Ricky D. Shafer**

Group Art Unit

**2872**Invention: **OPTICAL ISOLATER WITH REDUCED INSERTION LOSS  
AND MINIMIZED POLARIZATION MODE DISPERSION****TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:**

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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**CLAIMS AS AMENDED**

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR	NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	34 -	48 =	0 x	\$18.00	\$0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	4 -	5 =	0 x	\$86.00	\$0.00
Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/>					\$0.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					\$0.00

- ☒ No additional fee is required for amendment.
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